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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Fumitake Yodo et al.  
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For : RECORDING AND REPRODUCING APPARATUS, DATA  
REPRODUCING METHOD, AND DATA RECORDING AND  
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PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

Applicant(s), through the undersigned attorney, hereby  
petition(s) the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend  
the time for responding to the Office Action dated March 23,  
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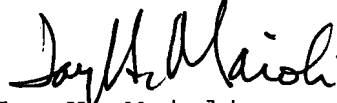
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Respectfully submitted,

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